HOSANNA!

When left to itself and not misled when let to lister and not maked by designing demagogues, the heart of the people is sound and generous. The old adage is fundamentally true: "Vox popult, vox Dei," the voice of the people is the voice of God, for, except when its ideals are warped by the malice of treacherous leaders, it speaks out in admiration of what is good and true and condemns the ig-noble and the false. In the familiar story of Palm Sunday that truth comes home to us. The palms borne in the hands of a whole people, the garments strewn on the ground, the hosannas of triumph and of welcome echoed with one accordant voice by young and old to do homage to the King riding into the City of His fathers, not in projects, with the instructions which may be obtained on application from Thos. Cook & Son.

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Christ is the world's true King. He is King by every possible right and title, by right of nature, merit and excellence, by the right conferred upon Him by His Father, by right of election and conquest. In His Divine and human nature He unites all the titles to that high supremacy. Other kings rule over the bodies of their subjects, Christ rules over the mind and the heart. The kingdoms over which earthly rulers extend their sway are unsubstantial and shadowy, they last for a few years, they rise to Christ is the world's true King. they last for a few years, they rise to glory and sink to the dust in the smoke of battle or reel to ruin under the blows of their own subjects. Of the kingdom of Christ there shall be no end. His alone is the one, immortal name that survives the wreck

of ages and defies the flight of time. On Palm Sunday, a great lesson comes home to us. The people welcomed the King, the innocent voices of babes and sucklings, guided by the of babes and sucklings, guided by the wisdom of the Holy Ghost, echoed in the Temple to sing His praise. The Pharisees and the hypocritical doctors of the law murmured in secret against Him and stirred up the people to encompass His death. And that is the story of the world to day. Some wave the palm-branches of triumph and welcome in His honor, strip themselves of the garments of sin, of pride, of self-esteem and cast sin, of pride, of self-esteem and cast them before His sacred feet, and open wide the gates of their heart to His coming. Others darkly plot against Him and instil into others the hatred of His name. They even imitate the hypocrisy of those who rebuked the children who sang His praises in the Temple, and steal from Him as far as in their power lies, the hearts and the souls of little ones whom He the souls of little ones whom He loves. But their efforts are doomed to failure. They may succeed here and there. The King may be driven out from the hearts and the lives of many thousands of those whom He most tenderly loves and for whom He laid down His life. But countless other hearts are ever welcoming Him, other hands are waving the palm-branches on His triumphal way and singing the unending hosanna of their adoration and their love.

Enviable truly is the lot of those who accept the Kingship of Christ and are willing to be guarded by His law. On the other hand those who refuse to submit to the sway of His royal sceptre, must, whether they wish it or not, bear the yoke of the most exacting tyrants. His reign over the heart frees, exalts and purifies it. Where he exerts no influence on the lives of men, those lives become commonplace and sordid. A thousand blessings follow welcome to the King: a thousand sorrows follow rejection of Him.

The world would be an abode of peace and happiness, if all men would reenact in their souls the welcome gives to Christ so many years ago and near in malice or feeble-ness repent of that generous, heavensent impulse.—America.

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LEMIRE-ARSENAULT. — At Regina, Sask., on Saturday, February 9,1918, by the Rev. Father David Gillis, Mr. Joseph H. Lemire, of Coderre, Sask, to Miss Lena Arsenault, formerly of St. Eleanors, P. E. I.

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